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Legislator Martinez Nominates Virginia Bull as “Senior Citizen of the Year” for the 9th Legislative District

Central Islip, NY- Legislator Martinez nominates Central Islip’s Virginia Bull as “Senior Citizen of the Year.” Mrs. Virginia Bull was employed by the City of New York for 32 years as Deputy Director of the City Publishing Center and Editor of New York City’s daily newspaper and The City Record. She is the proud wife of Mr. David Bull, mother of three, Shawn, Kyle and Chad; Grandmother of eleven.

This award recognizes a senior citizen who has significantly contributed to others in a meaningful and important way, either as an advocate, leader, volunteer or a role model to all generations.

Mrs. Bull has been a member of First Baptist Church of Bay Shore for 34 years and is extensively involved in the activities of her church and community. She is a member of the Afro-American Advisory Board for the American Bible Society, member of Church Women United and Site Director for FBC. Mrs. Bull is also an instrumental part of the Fifth Avenue School & LI Mentoring Program. If that is not enough, Mrs. Bull is also recognized for being the founder and organizer of Sisters Keeping it Positive, Inc.

She has been the recipient of numerous awards such as, *Outstanding Role Model for the Women’s Advisory Committee for NYC*, *Outstanding Role Model for the Department of General Service*, *Zeta Phi Beta Community Woman of the year 1990* and *Valor Woman of the year for Church Woman United 2000*.

“Mrs. Virginia Bull has been an asset to the central Islip community and Suffolk County. She is the true definition of a role model for all generations,” said Legislator Martinez. “She is a woman full of energy and determination to improve the lives of others,” added Legislator Martinez.

Mrs. Virginia Bull will be honored by Suffolk County in May, 2014.



Mrs. Virginia Bull